

## HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

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Wednesday, May 11, 2005

10:30 a.m.

307 House Office Building

Representative Brian Palmer, Chair, called the meeting to order.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Representatives Palmer, Mortimer, Gosselin, Meyer, Hoogendyk, Wenke, Ball, Elsenheimer, Hildenbrand, Pearce, Proos, Hopgood, Miller, Angerer, Lemmons, III, Virgil Smith, Kehrl and Clack.

Representative Clack moved to excuse absent members.

Representative Hildenbrand supported the motion.

There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

**MEMBERS ABSENT/EXCUSED:** Representative Vander Veen.

Representative Wenke moved to approve the minutes of the May 4, 2005 meeting.

Representative Proos supported the motion.

There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid HB 4274 before the committee.

**HB 4274 Vander Veen** Insurance; third party administrators; disclosure of certain claims history to certain persons; provide for.

Frank Webster, representing himself, testified in support of HB 4274. Questions and discussion followed.\*

Bill Disch, representing the Mattawan Consolidated Schools and the Van Buren Intermediate School District, testified in support of HB 4274.

Doug Derks, representing the East Grand Rapids Public Schools, testified in support of HB 4274.

Ken Fletcher, representing the Michigan State American Federation of Labor-Congress of Industrial Organizations, testified in support of HB 4274.

Stephen Hill, representing the Detroit Public Schools, testified in support of HB 4274.

The following people submitted cards in support of HB 4274, but did not wish to speak:

Kathy Merry, representing the Wayne Regional Educational Service Agency,  
Don Olendorf, representing Michigan Small and Rural Schools,  
Matt Tomasiewicz, representing the Muskegon, Ottawa, and Kalamazoo Intermediate School Districts,  
Nancy Stanley, representing the Michigan Elementary and Middle School Principals Association and the Macomb Intermediate School District,  
Kathleen Booher, representing the Tri-County Alliance of Superintendents in Oakland, Wayne and Macomb Counties.

With no further business to come before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting, the time being 12:10 p.m.

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Representative Brian Palmer, Chair

Ben Cook  
Committee Clerk  
May 11, 2005  
1 hour 40 minutes

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Date Approved and Signed

\* indicates printed materials attached to original minutes.